



# ORGANIC LIVESTOCK SYSTEM PLAN

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APPLICANT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

CERTIFICATION NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

FARM NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

COUNTY: \_\_\_\_\_

## 1. LIVESTOCK DESCRIPTION

Provide the following information for the types of animals being raised for organic meat, dairy, and/or poultry production. Attach additional paper if necessary. In addition, complete the enclosed Organic Livestock Animal Inventory Record.

### MEAT PRODUCTION (complete attached slaughter addendum)

Species	Identification (tag numbers, markings, flock number, etc)	Quantity	Are you also raising non- organic? (X)	Age when brought under organic management	Slaughter facility (name and location)

### DAIRY PRODUCTION (complete attached dairy addendum)

Type of Animal	Breed	Quantity	Are you also raising non-organic? (X)
<i>Bulls</i>			
<i>Calves</i>			
<i>Milking Cows</i>			
<i>Dry Cows</i>			
<i>Heifers</i>			
<i>Other</i>			

### POULTRY PRODUCTION –EGG AND MEAT (complete attached poultry addendum)

Flock ID #	Life stage	Quantity	Are you also raising non-organic? (X)



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### 2. SUPPLEMENTATION

List all vitamin supplements used: \_\_\_\_\_

List all mineral supplements used: \_\_\_\_\_

List all other feed supplements and/or additives used: \_\_\_\_\_

### 3. DISEASE AND PEST CONTROL PROGRAM

**NOP 205.238(a) requires that the producer must establish and maintain preventative livestock health care practices.** In addition to this section, please complete the enclosed Organic Livestock Pest and Disease Control Record.

What are the components of your preventative health care practices?

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|--|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Access to outdoors            | <input type="checkbox"/> Sanitation           | <input type="checkbox"/> Vaccines             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Nutritional requirements      | <input type="checkbox"/> Selection of species | <input type="checkbox"/> Physical alterations |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other, please describe: _____ |   |   |

Check the diseases and/or pests that have afflicted your animals, list the specific ailments, describe methods used to treat the conditions and the planned treatment strategy while in the organic program.

#### Ruminant (bovine, caprine, etc.)

Disease / Pest	(X)	Specific Ailment	Treatment Method	Preventative Plan
Diarrhea ( <i>Coccidiosis</i> )				
External parasites				
Eye problems ( <i>pink eye, cancer eye</i> )				
Foot or hoof problems				
Internal parasites				
Mastitis				
Mouth or tooth problems ( <i>sore mouth, broken teeth</i> )				
Poisoning or toxins ( <i>Botulism, plant toxicity</i> )				
Reproductive disorders ( <i>abortion, infertility</i> )				
Respiratory diseases ( <i>pneumonia</i> )				
Skin problems ( <i>parasites, ringworm</i> )				
Trauma ( <i>cuts, puncture wounds</i> )				



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### Non-ruminant (swine, etc.)

Disease / Pest	(X)	Specific Ailment	Treatment Method	Preventative Plan
Diarrhea ( <i>Coccidiosis</i> )				
External parasites				
Eye problems ( <i>pink eye, cancer eye</i> )				
Foot or hoof problems				
Internal parasites				
Mastitis				
Mouth or tooth problems ( <i>sore mouth, broken teeth</i> )				
Poisoning or toxins ( <i>Botulism, plant toxicity</i> )				
Reproductive disorders ( <i>abortion, infertility</i> )				
Respiratory diseases ( <i>pneumonia</i> )				
Skin problems ( <i>parasites, ringworm</i> )				
Trauma ( <i>cuts, puncture wounds</i> )				

### POULTRY AND RATITE

Disease / Pest	(X)	Specific Ailment	Treatment Method	Preventative Plan
Diarrhea diseases ( <i>Coccidiosis, Salmonellosis</i> )				
External parasites ( <i>Northern Fowl Mite, Darkling Beetle</i> )				
Foot problems ( <i>Marek</i> )				
Internal parasites ( <i>round worms</i> )				
Poisoning or toxins ( <i>noxious weeds, moldy feed</i> )				
Respiratory diseases ( <i>pneumonia</i> )				
Skin or feather problems ( <i>parasites</i> )				
Trauma ( <i>cuts, puncture wounds</i> )				

### OTHER (SPECIFY)

Disease / Pest	(X)	Specific Ailment	Treatment Method	Preventative Plan



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### 4. RECORDKEEPING

**NOP 205.103 requires that the producer must maintain records concerning the production, harvesting and handling of organic product.** These records must be adapted to the particular business and fully disclose all activities and transactions of the certified operation in sufficient detail as to be readily understood and audited. The records must demonstrate compliance with organic standards and be available for inspection.

How do you identify the organic stock? ☐ Ear tag ☐ Branded ☐ Flock ID

☐ Other, please describe: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you retain purchase receipts for all stock? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you retain purchase receipts for all materials used in onsite forage production? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you retain sales records for all products sold? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you maintain the following records:

- Weight records of slaughter animals at slaughter? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- Medications administered (date, dosage, source)? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- Feed products bought and fed (date, quantity, source)? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- Vitamin, mineral and other feed supplements or additives administered (dates, quantity, source)? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If you also raise stock that are not organic and that are sold on the conventional market, do you separate the non-organic production records from the organic production records? ☐ Yes ☐ No

### 5. SPLIT AND PARALLEL PRODUCTION

Which categories of crops are grown? ☐ Organic ☐ Conventional

% Organic \_\_\_\_\_ % Conventional \_\_\_\_\_

List all livestock that are raised both organic and conventional and how many animals are in each category.

Livestock Variety	Organic	Conventional

### 6. MARKETING

How do you market the product?

- ☐ Contract to buyer ☐ CSA ☐ Farmer's Market ☐ On Farm Sales  
☐ Processor ☐ Retail ☐ Wholesale



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## 7. MANURE MANAGEMENT

NOP 205.239(c) requires that “The producer of an organic livestock operation must manage manure in a manner that does not contribute to contamination of crops, soil, or water by plant nutrients, heavy metals or pathogenic organisms and optimizes recycling of nutrients.” You must indicate all manure applications in the Organic Production System Plan.

How is the manure managed in the operation (storage, treatment, collection, utilization and/or disposal?)\_

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## 8. FLOW CHART

Please provide information regarding the flow of animals through your farm. Include source of animals, living conditions for each stage of production and final destination of animals. This may be in narrative form or submitted as a flow chart. Attach additional sheets as necessary. Example:

